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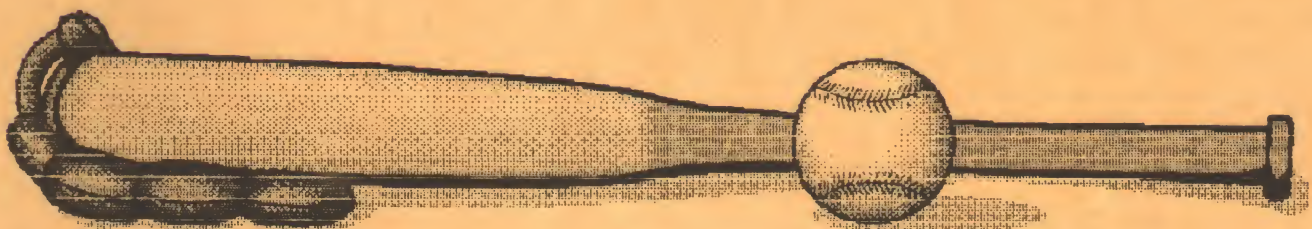
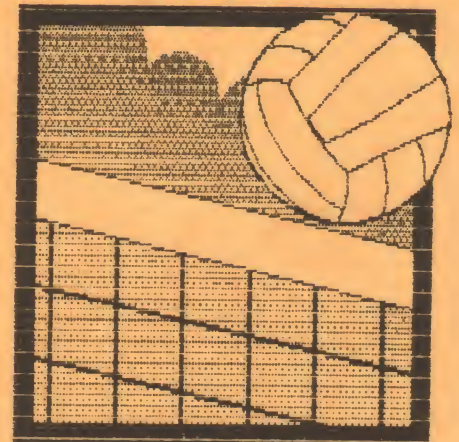


WE PLAY OUR BEST !

WE PLAY FOR FUN !

WE PLAY HARD !

WE PLAY FAIR !



RECREATIONAL SPORTS ACTIVITIES

FALL 1994

	CO-ED	MEN	WOMEN
TENNIS SINGLES		X	X
TENNIS DOUBLES	X	X	X
SOFTBALL		X	
FLAG-FOOTBALL	X	X	X
SOCCER		X	X
BASKETBALL		X	
VOLLEYBALL	X	X	X

SPRING 1995

FREE THROW SHOOTING		X	X
HOT-SHOT JUMP-SHOT		X	X
BASKETBALL		X	X
VOLLEYBALL	X	X	X
FLAG-FOOTBALL		X	
SOFTBALL	X	X	X
TENNIS SINGLES		X	X
TENNIS DOUBLES	X	X	X

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August, 1994

Dear Mansfield Mounties,

A hearty WELCOME to our new students and WELCOME BACK to the returning students. I would like to encourage all those who have been active participants last school year to get involved again this year and invite our new students to join us for a lot of fun times. We recognize that many of our new students may not have participated in recreational sports at your high school. If you will take the risk of trying something new, you just might find that you not only will find many hours of fun times, but that you will meet and make lots of new friends.

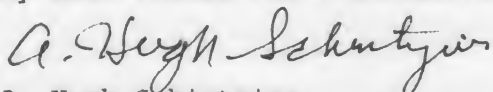
I expect that this school year we can expect to see another increase in the number of individuals and/or teams entering our tournaments. In the past four years, due to the number of teams participating in our tournaments, we have had to put a limit on the number of teams we can accept for some recreational sports leagues. This is a result of the limited facilities that are available to the Recreation Department. So... my advise is to get your team organized and signed-up as early as possible.

A change this year is the elimination of the team entry fee required at the time that teams are entered for tournaments. With additional monies coming to the Recreation Department as a result of the new Athletics/Recreation Fee, it is no longer necessary to collect this team entry fee. Hopefully, this will encourage more participants and teams for our tournaments.

I would like to thank the 48 students who worked as sports officials, scorekeepers, timers, lifeguards, aerobic leaders and in particular Office Staff Erin Allen, Amy Hagerty, Jody Latimer, Dawn Warren and Dana Ferraro for a job well done. Without their outstanding service, there is no way that the program would have been as successful as it was.

Finally, I would like to ask that anytime you have an idea that you think will help the Recreation Department to serve students' needs, that you bring that idea to my attention.

My Best Wishes For A Successful, Healthy And Fun-filled School Year.



A. Hugh Schintzius
Recreation Director

MISSION STATEMENTS

It is the intent of the Recreation Department to accomplish the following:

- A. To satisfy varying degrees of interest in cooperative and competitive play activity in game form through a recreational sports program.
- B. To conduct an aerobic exercise program.
- C. To provide recreational/fitness swim opportunities.
- D. To provide personal exercise/fitness opportunities.
- E. To utilize the available resources and facilities in the most effective way.
- F. To provide learning opportunities for team captains, the participants and the student staff which conduct the various activities.
- G. To establish and maintain a high quality in programming that contributes to a positive image of the university.

GOALS

- A. To provide for participation in a variety of individual and team oriented recreational sports activities which satisfy the diverse needs of students, faculty and staff.
- B. To offer as many sections as possible of aerobic exercise at hours convenient to the campus population and that will accommodate individuals from a beginning to an advanced background.
- C. To make Decker exercise room available as many hours as possible for the personal fitness needs of the campus community.
- D. To schedule regular swim hours for Decker Pool to be available for the personal recreational/fitness needs of the campus as well as to provide for a Family Swim Night.
- E. To provide extracurricular educational opportunities for students through participation in the various activities and the provision of relevant leadership positions.
- F. To contribute positively to institutional relations through significant and high quality programming of activities.
- G. To cooperate with academic departments in assisting students with class projects appropriate to their majors.
- H. To coordinate the use of the available facilities in cooperation with the Physical Education Department, Athletics and the Student Activities Office.

ADVISORY BOARD

- A. Composition
 - one member from each of the residence halls.
 - one member from the Pan Hellenic Council.
 - one member from the Interfraternity Council.
 - one Recreation Department student secretary/coordinator.
 - one Recreational Sports Official.
 - the Director of Recreation(chairperson).
- B. Purpose
 1. Assist in publicity and promoting participation in Recreation Department programs.
 2. Serve as a liaison between the Recreation Department and the residence halls, campus organizations, etc.
 3. Other functions as deemed necessary and appropriate.

INFORMATION AND BULLETIN BOARDS

All information regarding Recreation Department programs (ex. entry deadlines, league/tournament schedules/standings) will be posted on bulletin boards in the following locations:

- A. In Manser Lobby area.
- B. Outside the Recreation Office on the ground floor of Decker Gym.
- C. On the right wall going from the lobby of Decker into the playing area.

REGULATIONS FOR THE USE OF DECKER GYM

- A. The use of Decker Gym for recreational purposes is limited to current Mansfield University students, employees and authorized guests.
- B. Only full-time students, and employees may bring a guest with them and they must accompany their guest at ALL times.
- C. Children of students and employees must be accompanied by one of their parents if 18

- years of age or under.
- D. Individuals other than those authorized to use the gym for recreational purposes shall be considered as trespassing and are subject to all appropriate University and Civil penalties.
 - E. During recreational play periods, Decker Gym is an unsupervised play area. All individuals are reminded that your participation is not required.
 - F. Individuals eligible to use Decker Gym for recreational purposes should be aware that accidents can and do occur during sport/game activities.
 - G. All individuals are responsible for their actions both prior to and after any injury that you may sustain.
 - H. Any facility user may be asked to produce identification verifying that they are a student or employee.
 - I. Individuals attending FAMILY SWIM NIGHTS are limited to the use of the appropriate locker rooms and the swimming pool.
 - E. All appropriate University regulations governing hours of operation and use apply as well.

THREE WALL RACQUETBALL COURTS (Located in the Recreation Center)

- A. When the Recreation Center is available, the court may be set up by obtaining the wheelbar to move the walls.
- B. Racquets and balls are available for sign out at the Campus Police Department Office.

RECREATIONAL SWIMMING

- A. Eligibility
The use of Decker Pool for recreational swim is limited to Mansfield University students, employees, their families and authorized guests.
- B. Hours
 - 1. Academic Year --- Monday to Friday 6:00 to 8:30pm.
--- Saturday and Sunday 1:00 to 4:00pm.
 - 2. Summer Session --- Monday to Friday 6:00 to 8:30pm.
 - 3. Regular swim hours may be canceled due to home athletic events.
 - 4. During innertube waterpolo, recreational swimming is restricted to the shallow end of the pool.
- C. Pool Regulations
 - 1. ONLY Mansfield University students, employees, their families and authorized guests are allowed to use the pool.
 - 2. Persons using the pool must present a valid Mansfield University I.D. card to the lifeguards to enter the pool.
 - 3. Dependents of students and employees who are under the age 12 MUST be accompanied by one of their parents who is in their swim suit at the pool side.
 - 6. The following are prohibited during recreational swim hours:
 - a. more than one person on the diving board at a time.
 - b. doing seat drops or hand stands off the diving board.
 - c. bouncing/jumping on the end of the diving board as on a trampoline.
 - d. hanging from the diving board.
 - e. swimming under the diving board.
 - f. diving or racing starts in the shallow end of the pool.
 - g. sitting/standing on the safety rope on the shallow end of the pool.
 - h. gum or tobacco chewing.
 - i. running, pushing or shoving in the pool area.
 - j. smoking, eating or drinking in the pool area or the pool balcony.
 - k. wearing hair-pins or band-aids.
 - l. towel snapping.
 - m. use of inflatable toys and support devices by non-swimmers.
 - n. use of swim fins, face masks or snorkels.
 - o. wearing street shoes or clothes in the pool area.

PERSONS NOT COMPLYING WITH THESE REGULATIONS OR OTHER REASONABLE DIRECTIONS FROM THE LIFEGUARDS ARE SUBJECT TO BEING BARRED FROM USING THE POOL AND GYM FACILITIES.

HEALTH INSURANCE

- A. All participants in recreational activities are strongly urged to have health insurance. If you do not, information is available at the Vice President for Student Affairs Office in room 120 Pinecrest Hall.
- B. All individuals who plan on participating in recreational activities are expected to

be in good health.

- C. All participants, in particular older students, employees and their spouses who have not been physically active for some time are strongly urged to have a medical check-up before participating in any recreational activity.

INJURIES AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

- A. Participating in recreational activities has an inherent risk of injury, and despite all safety precautions undertaken by the Recreation Department staff, injuries can and do occur. All participants accept full responsibility for their actions both prior to and after any injury. Mansfield University and the Recreation Department staff assume no responsibility for damage to eyeglasses or loss of contact lens while participating in recreational activities. Individuals are reminded that your participation is entirely voluntary.
- B. Before all recreational games/matches, all participants must sign their name and write their S.S.# on the yellow INFORMED CONSENT FORM provided by the game officials or tournament manager.
- C. All injuries should be reported to the First Aid Supervisor on duty, officials, tournament manager or lifeguards before leaving the field, court or swimming pool.
- D. No attempt to move an injured participant should be made by anyone if the person appears to be suffering from an injury to the head, neck, back or limbs.
- E. If any injury appears to be of a serious nature, the First Aid Supervisor on duty, officials, tournament or lifeguards will arrange for transportation of the injured person.
- F. The injury supervisor will complete an INJURY REPORT form at the time of the injury and submit it to the Recreation Office with the accompanying game materials.
- G. All injuries should be reported to the health center as soon as possible to assure being covered by your insurance policy.

STUDENT EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- A. Office Staff
 - 1. Students working the office assist the Director in preparing schedules, league standings, game materials, etc.
 - 2. Qualifications
 - a. an interest in recreational activities.
 - b. the ability to assume responsibilities in the Recreation Office in the absence of the Director.
 - c. experience using computer word processing systems.
 - d. a class schedule with blocks of two (2) or more hours of "open" time from late morning through 4:00pm.
 - e. a good sense of humor.
- B. Recreational Sports Officials
 - 1. Being a Recreational Sports Official is both a responsibility and a privilege. Students may earn needed money while at the same time gain valuable experience that may aid them in obtaining the officials rating for high school/college athletics.
 - 2. It is the desire of the Director to secure the best qualified officials for the department.
 - 3. Students (female and male) desiring to officiate recreational softball, flag-football, basketball and volleyball should inquire at the Recreation Office early in the school year.
 - 4. Prospective student officials may obtain copies of the tournament rules and officials duties, responsibilities and guidelines at the time of application and prior to the officials clinic/training session.
 - 5. Pre-tournament clinic/training sessions will be conducted and prospective student officials are required to attend.
 - 6. Whistles and officials shirts are provided for student officials when appropriate.
- C. Lifeguards
 - 1. Student lifeguards are utilized during evening and weekend hours for Recreational Swim and Family Swim Nights.
 - 2. Students desiring employment must have a valid Red Cross Lifeguard, W.S.I. and CPR/First Aid cards and should apply at the Recreation Office.
 - 3. All lifeguards are required to attend CPR training/re-training sessions held on either the first or second saturday in September and January.

RECREATIONAL SPORTS REGULATIONS AND POLICIES

I. UNSPORTSPERSONLIKE CONDUCT

- A. The following are unquestionably considered unsportspersonlike conduct:
1. Verbally/physically threatening participants and/or Recreation Department Staff.
 2. Fighting with players of spectators.
 3. Hitting, striking or pushing a Recreation Department staff person on duty.
 4. Unnecessary roughness.
 5. Unsportspersonlike language and language generally considered socially unacceptable directed at anyone.
 6. Being intoxicated.
 7. Being under the obvious influence of illegal drugs.
 8. Continued disregard for officials decisions/directions.
 9. Unnecessary abuse of equipment/facilities.
- B. Any individual who is removed from a game/match/contest by the officials in charge, the tournament manager or the Director shall be ineligible to participate in her/his teams' games on the next two (2) dates of play. The individual under no circumstance may participate in those two (2) dates. If the individual does participate in so much as one play, all play shall stop, and the game shall be declared a forfeit win to the opposing team.
- C. Any individual who is ejected from a game on a second occasion during an academic year (September to May), shall be ineligible to participate in ALL Recreational Sports leagues/tournaments for twelve (12) months from the date of the second violation. Further, that individual may be brought to the attention of the Campus Judicial Board for disciplinary action.
- D. An individual who is ejected from one Recreation Department activity is eligible to participate in other Recreation Department activities during that school year.
- E. Any individual who verbally/physically threatens or hits/strikes/pushes a participant or a Recreation Department Staff person, shall be brought to the attention of the Campus Judicial Board for disciplinary action.
- F. Continued unnecessary roughness by a team(s) will result in the forfeiture of the game/contest by that team(s).

II. THEFT & DAMAGE OF EQUIPMENT & FACILITIES

- A. Any individual(s) found guilty of stealing or observed willfully damaging/destroying Recreation Department equipment or facilities, or of gross misconduct while in/on the facilities may be barred from Recreation Department programs indefinitely.
- B. Teams may be charged with a forfeit if any member of their team is found destroying University property.
- C. The individual(s) may further be brought to the attention of the Campus Judicial Board.

III. ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE

- A. Any individual whose physical condition, in the judgement of the Director, game supervisors, officials, tournament managers or lifeguards is such that continued participation may be injurious to themselves or other participants, because of excessive consumption of alcoholic beverages, or who is obviously under the influence of substances (drugs) considered to be illegal, may be barred from entering, or subject to removal from the game/contest or swimming pool and not allowed to participate again that day.
- B. An individual who is barred or removed from a game/contest or the pool on two (2) occasions during an academic year for the above reasons, shall be declared ineligible for further participation in Recreation Department activities for the remainder of that academic year. Further, that individual may be brought to the attention of the Vice-President of Student Affairs.

IV. ELIGIBILITY

- A. Students
All currently enrolled students at Mansfield University who have paid the Student Activity Fee for that semester are eligible to participate in all Recreational Sports assuming all other eligibility requirements have been fulfilled.
- B. Employees
All current Mansfield University employees are eligible to participate in Recreational Sports assuming all other eligibility requirements have been fulfilled.

- C. Spouses
All spouses of current Mansfield University students and employees are eligible to participate in Recreational Sports assuming all other eligibility requirements have been fulfilled.
- D. Non-students, employees or spouses
Individuals who are not current students, employees or the spouses of current students or employees who participate in Recreational Sports games/contests shall cause the team on which they participated to forfeit that game/contest. A team found guilty of a second violation will be ejected from the remainder of the league/tournament.
- E. Varsity, Junior Varsity and Freshman Athletes
1. Varsity, junior varsity and freshman athletes who are listed on the current team roster or who continue to practice with the team in the following sports are not eligible to participate in these RELATED RECREATIONAL SPORTS during that academic year.

INTERCOLLEGIATE SPORT	-----	RELATED RECREATIONAL SPORT
baseball	-----	softball
basketball	-----	basketball, foul shooting and hot-shot jump-shot contests
football	-----	flag-football
- F. "Red-Shirt" Student Athletes
1. A student athlete recruited for a specific sport, who is ineligible to compete for academic or other reasons, and who continues to practice with the team after the first game/contest/match of the season, is ineligible to participate in that Related Recreational Sport during that academic year.
 2. Varsity, junior varsity and freshman athletes who are dropped from, or who quit the team are eligible to participate in that Recreational Sport during that year provided that they have met the sign-up deadline for that sport.
- G. Ex-athletes
Students and employees who have completed four (4) years of eligibility in a sport are not eligible to participate in that Related Recreational Sport in which they lettered.
- H. Professionalism
An individual who would be barred from intercollegiate athletics because of professionalism shall be ineligible to participate in those Related Recreational Sports in which amateur status has been lost.
- I. One Team
1. An individual may represent only one team in any Recreational Sport league/tournament. If an individuals' name is listed on two (2) or more rosters, he/she will be considered as a member of the team for which he/she first participated.
 2. After once playing for a team, an individual may not transfer to another team for the remainder of the league/tournament.
- J. Closed Rosters
Teams may add players to their roster, to the maximum allowed for that league/tournament, or change players' names up to one (1) week after the start of that league/tournament.
- K. Play-off Eligibility
Only those players whose names are listed on the ORIGINAL team roster as registered in the Recreation Office who have participated in regular league/tournament games/contests AND who meet all other eligibility requirements, are eligible to participate in play-off games/contests.
- L. Responsibility For Eligibility Checks
1. The Recreation Department does not assume the responsibility for checking the eligibility of all participants.
 2. All cases of ineligibility brought to the attention of the Director will be dealt with according to the previous rules.
- M. Appropriate Footwear
All participants in Recreational Sports games/contests MUST wear appropriate gym-athletic type footwear. Individuals are not allowed to play in their bare feet, in their socks or in conventional street shoes.

V. CAPTAINS' RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. TO BE A LEADER that players and officials can respect.
- B. To be aware of the entry deadlines and submit the appropriate and completed entry form as early as possible.
- C. To obtain tournament rules and review them with your team members prior to the first game.
- D. To attend announced captains' meetings, or send a team representative.
- E. To appoint a co-captain to act as a spokesperson in the absence of the captain.

- F. To keep her/his address and telephone number up to date in the Recreation Office.
- G. To report all roster changes/additions to the Recreation Office by seven (7) days of the start of the league/tournament.
- H. To be familiar with all eligibility rules and see that her/his team adheres to them.
- I. To inform all team members of the proper place and time of all games/contests.
- J. To encourage your team to not forfeit.
- K. To inform the Recreation Office as soon as you know that your team must forfeit a scheduled game/contest.
- L. To assemble your team at the officials request immediately prior to the start of the game/contest to check the team roster and sign the ASSUMPTION OF RISK form.
- M. To assist the officials in distributing and collecting the game jerseys and equipment in the appropriate sports.
- N. To provide a "spotter" to assist the game scorekeeper when appropriate.
- O. To arrange with the Director for a new playing date of any postponed games/contests.
- P. To be the sole spokesperson for the team in conferring with the officials in game situations.
- Q. To control the conduct of team members and spectators directly associated with her/his team. The conduct of spectators before and after the game is as important as their conduct during the game. Team captains will be held responsible for the conduct of team members and spectators at these times as well as during the game/contest.
- R. To make sure that he/she understands completely the playing rules for the activity and the Recreational Sports regulations and policies as outlined in this handbook BEFORE COMPLAINING !

VI. CAPTAINS' MEETINGS

- A. Captains' meetings will be scheduled those Recreational Sports that it is deemed necessary for rule explanations.
- B. Team captains (or their appointed representative) are strongly urged to attend this announced meeting.
- C. Teams failing to be represented at this meeting shall be given last consideration in writing up the game schedule.
- D. A team may be eliminated from a league/tournament in which there are /is a limited number of entries if it is not represented at the captains' meeting and there is/are a surplus of teams that are in attendance at the meeting seeking entry to the league/tournament.

VII. ENTRY DEADLINES

- A. Entry deadlines will be posted around campus and on the Recreational Sports bulletin boards in Manser and Decker Gym.
- B. Late entries will be accepted only in instances when the team will fit into an already drawn up game schedule.

VIII. ENTRY ROSTERS

- A. All rosters, individual and team, MUST be on official Recreational Sport entry forms. These forms are available about a week before the specific entry deadline. They are posted in the lobby areas of the residence halls, in Manser Lobby and at the Recreation Office in Decker Gym.
- B. Entry rosters should be accurate and legible as it is sometimes necessary to contact the individual/team regarding the scheduling of games/contests.
- C. Teams should have the correct entry form for each Recreational Sport.
- D. Entry forms for an activity shall be registered in the Recreation Office before the announced deadline with at least the minimum number of players and no more than the maximum number allowed for that activity.
- E. All team entries are on a first entered first served basis.
- F. Completed entry forms shall be considered as the official team roster one week after the league/tournament has started.
- G. Teams may add players to their roster, to the maximum allowed for that league/tournament, or change players' names up to one (1) week after the start of that league/tournament.
- H. The Director reserves the right to censor all team names.

IX. LIMITED TEAM ENTRIES

- A. There will be a limit as the number of teams that can be accepted in some activities due to equipment, budget, time and facilities that are necessary and available to conduct leagues/tournaments in those activities.

X. POSTPONEMENTS

- A. A scheduled game/contest may be postponed only by the Director, or appointed representative (official/game supervisor).
- B. Weather, or an unanticipated use of scheduled facilities will be considered a cause for postponement. SOCIAL FUNCTIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED AS CAUSE FOR POSTPONEMENT.
- C. No postponements will be made because of absence of team members.
- D. If two (2) teams/individuals postpone a game/contest without the sanction of the Director or game supervisor, both teams/individuals shall be charged with a forfeit.
- E. The Director will not postpone outdoor games/contests because of bad weather before 3:00 p.m. of the day in question.
- F. In case of inclement weather, team captains should call or stop by the Recreation Office in Decker Gym AFTER 3:00 p.m.
- G. Game officials/supervisors may make last minute postponements on the field due to a sudden change in weather.
- H. Dates for rescheduled games/contests will be posted on the Recreational Sports bulletin boards. It shall be the responsibility of the individual/team to check for these dates following the postponement.
- I. Postponed games/contests, if they are rescheduled, must be played before the start of any play-offs for that activity.

XI. FORFEITS

- A. Forfeited games/contests will not be rescheduled.
- B. A team/individual who forfeits a game/contest shall be charged with a loss.
- C. A team/individual that forfeits a game/contest on two (2) playing dates may be eliminated from the league/tournament and shall lose its' entry fee. Each of the remaining opponents will be notified and given a victory for the scheduled game/contest.
- D. A team allowing an ineligible individual to participate shall forfeit all games/contests in which it is verified that the ineligible individual participated.
- E. If a team/individual is not ready to participate on the proper field/court within the allowable time as stated in the rules for that sport, the officials/supervisor in charge of the game/contest shall declare the game/contest forfeited to the individual/team ready to participate.
- F. If both teams/individuals scheduled to play each other fail to show up within the allowable time as stated in the rules for that activity, the officials/supervisor in charge shall declare a double forfeit.
- G. A team must field at least the minimum number of players as stated in the rules of that activity within the allowable time or shall forfeit the game/contest.
- H. A team/individual leaving the field/court of play before the game/contest is completed or called by the official/supervisor in charge, shall forfeit the game/contest.
- I. When obtaining a win by forfeit, the winning team/individual must have/be present within the allowable time with at least the minimum number of players as stated in the rules for that sport.
- J. A team allowing an ineligible individual to participate during a play-off game/contest shall automatically forfeit the game/contest, and be eliminated from the remainder of the play-offs.
- K. The Director, game officials, or supervisor immediately responsible for a game/contest may call off a game/contest before its' conclusion if in their judgement, continued participation may be injurious to the participants, officials, or spectators, and/or if a participant\spectator identified with a team willfully damages\destroys University property and further charge either or both teams with a forfeit.

XII. PROTESTS

- A. Protests concerning the question of judgement calls by officials shall not be considered.
- B. Protesting captains must inform the game officials in a COURTEOUS MANNER immediately following the incident in question of her/his intent to file a protest.
- C. The officials in charge are to notify both teams that the game is being played under protest and complete a Protest Form.
- D. The completed Protest Form should contain all background information necessary for making a decision.
- E. Do not wait until the game/contest is completed to register a protest with the officials and the opposing team.
- F. A protest in a rule interpretation must state the specific rule applicable to the protest.

- G. Both team captains' and the game officials shall be permitted to present to the Director information pertaining to the protested situation.
- H. It shall be the responsibility of the Director, or an appointed representative to review all protests and decide whether the grounds for the protest are sufficient enough to warrant consideration by a protest board.
- I. Protests that are honored may result in the playing of a complete new game/contest.

XIII. LEAGUE TIES AND PLAY-OFFS

- A. Two way ties:
 - 1. If two (2) teams/individuals in a league/tournament finish with an identical won/lost record, the team/individual that won the game/contest between the two (2) teams/individuals during regular league play shall earn the position for which their is a tie.
 - 2. The other team shall be placed in the following position in the standings.
- B. Three way ties:
 - 1. The team having won the game/contest from both of the other teams during league play shall earn that position for the league/tournament, or,
 - 2. If none of the three teams have defeated the other two teams during the regular league play, a drawing will be held to determine the positions for the play-offs of the three tied teams.
- C. Single League Tournaments:
 - 1. In single league tournaments, when one team has defeated all others in regular league play, that team shall be declared the champion, and there shall be no play-offs.
 - 2. If the first place team has a loss or a tie, or there is a tie for first place, there shall be a championship play-off.

XIV. AWARDS

- A. All members of championship teams whose names are listed on the team attendance roster and who have participated in at least 25% of their teams' games are eligible to receive an award shirt.

XV. EQUIPMENT CHECK-OUT FOR GROUPS & CLUBS

- A. Groups and clubs desiring to check out equipment for flag-football, (a set of red and green flags, a ball and markers), or softball (bases, gloves, bats and balls) may be required to leave a twenty dollar (\$20.) deposit at the time of picking up the equipment.
- B. The full deposit will be returned providing the equipment is returned to the Recreation Office by the agreed upon time and date.
- C. For each twenty-four (24) period or part there-of that the equipment is late being returned, the group/club shall forfeit one dollar (\$1.) of their deposit.

1993 - 1994 RECREATION DEPARTMENT STUDENT EMPLOYEES

Daniel Abraham	MVB-CVB	Fasy Mam	MSB-CVB
Suzanna Acevedo	LG	Edgar Morales	LG
Erin Allen	OFS	Leela Payne	WVB
Lynn Bates	AEL	Shelly Pratt	CVB
Michelle Bower	CVB-WVB	Jenn Roberson	AEL
Jamie Brewster	WVB-CVB	Jashoda Sanghvi	OFS
Corey Bullard	MFB	Nate Schuler	LG
Sophia Burrel	AEL	Tony Shahmoradi	MFB-MSB-MVB-CVB
Laura Brush	AEL	Frank Sharik	MVB-MFB
Julie Caplinger	WVB-CVB	Frank Sica	MVB-CVB
John Delate	MBK	Vince Simmons	CVB-MVB
Amy Dugo	LG	Kelly Smith	AEL-WVB-CVB
Deborah Duncan	OFS	Tara Solava	LG
Tara Edmonds	FAS	Becky Sorber	MBK-WVB
Kimberly Evarts	CVB-WVB	Michelle Spitler	LG
Dana Ferrar	OFS	Donna Staley	AEL
Tina Foshee	CVB-WVB-CSB	Fawn Steele	CVB
Kevin Golas	MBK-MVB	Dave Stevems	MVB-CVB
Amy Hagerty	OFS	Kelli Swanson	FAS
Scott Inazu	MVB-CVB-MFB	Brian Updegrove	MFB-MSB-CVB-MVB
Bret Kunkle	LG	Dennis Waite	LG
Melissa Largey	WVB-CVB	Dawn Warren	OFS-WBK-WVB
Jody Latimer	OFS	Sean Weber	CSB
Scott Long	MBK	Jason Wolfgang	MFB-MBK

CODE

AEL - Aerobic Exercise Leader	MSB - Mens' Softball Official
CVB - Co-ed Volleyball Official	MVB - Mens' Volleyball Official
FAS - First Aid Supervisor	OFS - Office Staff
LG - Lifeguard	WBK - Women's Basketball Official
MBK - Men's Basketball Official	WSB - Women's Softball Official
MFB - Mens' Flag-football Official	WVB - Women's Volleyball Official

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1993 - 1994 RECREATIONAL SPORTS PARTICIPATION

Number of Activities	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Number of Participants	397	138	45	25	14	6	3

Participants in 5 Recreational Sports during 1993 - 1994

Marc Anselmo	Bob Benz
Chad Brinkley	Michael Burk
Tony Conston	Chris Engle
Pat Hattersley	Dan Herbst
Mike Hoch	Bret Kunkle
Pat Hattersly	Sean Webber
Faxy Mam	Mike Miller

Participants in 6 Recreational Sports during 1993 - 1994

Matt Hagler	Sean Pieretti
Matt Purtell	Mark Stavenas
Mike Vriesema	Matt Yurkanin

Participants in 7 Recreational Sports during 1993 - 1994

Chris Eastwood	Jim Jankowski
Sean Weber	

*Nature requires that we should be able
not only to work well, but to use leisure well.
Leisure is the first principle of all action
and so leisure is better than work and is its' end.
As play, and with it rest, are for the sake of work,
so work, in turn, is for the sake of leisure.*

- Aristotle

*It is not the critic who counts,
and not the man who points out how the strong man stumbled,
or where the doer of deeds could have done them better.
The credit belongs to the man who is actually in the arena,
whose face is marred by dust and sweat and blood,
who strives valiantly,
who errs and comes up short again and again,
who knows the great enthusiasm, the great devotion,
and spends himself in a worthy cause,
who, at the best, knows the triumph of high achievement,
and who, at the worst, if he fails, at least fails while daring,
so that his place shall never be with those cold and timid souls,
who know neither victory nor defeat.*

- Theodore Roosevelt



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